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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

This is a request under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified patent application. Please charge the two month extension fee of \$410.00 to Deposit Account No. 18-1850 to allow a timely response in this matter by January 21, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,

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